



**The British Accounting and Finance Association
Accounting and Finance in Emerging Economies (AFEE) Special Interest Group**

CALL FOR PAPERS

**26th Workshop on Accounting and Finance in Emerging Economies
hosted by
Aston Business School, Aston University
Birmingham, United Kingdom
Monday, 16th December 2024 (09:00 -16:00)**

The organising committee of the BAFA – Accounting and Finance in Emerging Economies Special Interest Group is pleased to announce its annual workshop to be held at **Aston Business School, Aston University, Birmingham, United Kingdom on Monday, 16th December 2024**. The workshop aims to bring together academics working on accounting and finance issues concerning emerging economies. The workshop also aims to raise the level of interest in the specific problems of accounting and finance in emerging economies; and increase awareness of real issues, so that accounting and finance in these countries will not just be seen as a matter of copying what is done in the industrialized countries. It provides an authoritative overview of the research and progress in this field.

The coverage of the workshop includes, but is not restricted to:

- Accounting and accountability issues
- Accounting and finance in socio-economic development and poverty reduction
- Accounting history
- Accounting practices in family businesses
- Accounting, regulation, and privatisation
- Auditing and internal controls
- Climate risk management and accounting
- Corporate governance, executive compensation, risk management and reporting
- Diversity and inclusion in accounting and finance research
- Education, training and the role of professional accounting bodies
- Finance and accounting for regional transition
- Finance and banking issues, including behavioural accounting and finance
- Financial reporting and accounting standards, including international financial reporting standards
- Green financing and FinTech
- Management accounting, including strategic performance management and social and environmental accounting
- Public sector accounting and reforms, including new public management
- The impact of culture, religion, ethnicity, and history on accounting and finance
- The impact of structural adjustment programmes on accounting practices

Paper submission:

Full papers should be submitted to afee-sig@bafa.ac.uk by 17:00 (BST) **Friday 18th October 2024**.

The outcome of submissions will be communicated to authors by **Friday 25th October 2024**.

Best paper awards:

Two Best Paper Awards will be presented under the categories of doctoral and early career researchers whose work represents impactful research in the Emerging Economy Context.

HOW TO REGISTER

Registration:

Academic staff registration fee	£85
PhD students/doctoral candidates registration fee	£50
* To register for the workshop, you will need to be first enrolled as a BAFA member. The annual fee for BAFA membership is £30 for academic staff and £15 for doctoral students.	

Registration will be open from 28th October 2024 until 30th November 2024

Tickets to BAFA conferences are only available to members. To purchase a ticket, log in to your account on the BAFA Membership Portal (<https://membership.bafa.ac.uk>) and click the 'Purchase Tickets' button. Select the appropriate ticket for the event you want to attend and follow instructions. **If you are not already a member of BAFA**, please sign up for membership at <https://membership.bafa.ac.uk/become-a-member/>. Further information on how to register for BAFA events can be found here: <http://www.bafa.ac.uk/assets/uploads/conference-workshop-registration.pdf>

TRAVEL, ACCOMMODATION AND LOCAL VISITS

Travel information: <https://www.aston.ac.uk/about/visit>

Accommodation: <https://www.conferenceaston.co.uk/leisure/rooms-built-for-comfort>

Please note that you can find alternative accommodation at cheap rate not far from the conference venue.

Campus map: <https://www.aston.ac.uk/sites/default/files/2023-10/campus-map-2023.pdf>

Parking is payable at Car park 5: Holt Street, B7 4BH - £6 per visit (6am to 10pm).

Opportunity for networking at the pre-workshop dinner (at your own cost) on Sunday 15th December.

Have questions or need further information?

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